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Examiner: Joseph Pape

For: Slidable Room Assembly

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
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ELECTION

Sir:

In response to the Restriction dated February 9, 2005, Applicants elect the invention of Group I without traverse.

The Examiner required restriction to one of the following inventions:

- I. Claims 2-22, 30-36, 43-47 and 51-56 drawn to a slidable room for a vehicle
- II Claims 23-29, 39-42, and 48-50, drawn to a drive mechanism

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8(a)

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Applicants respectfully request prompt allowance of the claims.

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